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Park House,
Mysore, 14th August 1948

My dear Sir.

I am desired to enclose herewith copy of a letter No.37-48 dated the 5th August 1948 from the Military Secretary to H.E. the Governor of Madras together with a copy of the reply sent to him and to request you kindly to make available the State Dakota for the journey of Their Excellencies and party from Madras to Bombay at the end of this month or in the first week of September next. The Military Secretary has been asked to write to you direct, regarding the date and time when the Dakota will be required and where the plane is to land in Madras.

Yours Sincerely

Sri V. Vedavyasacharya, B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

No.37-48

Government House,

Ootacamund, 5th August 1948.

Dear Mr. Nagaraja Rao,

As you will have heard, His Excellency the Governor of Madras is shortly taking up the post of High Commissioner for the United Kingdom in India.

Prior to taking up this appointment, he is returning to the United Kingdom for a short holiday, and he has asked me to write and request you to ask whether His Highness would be prepared to kindly lend to His Excellency the Mysore State Aeroplane for the journey of Their Excellencies and party from Madras to Bombay. The date of the journey is not yet settled, but is is likely to be at the end of August or in the first week of September.

Yours sincerely,

Sd.Major W.K.Buckley.

G.N.Nagaraja Rao, Esq.,
Private Secretary to H.H.
the Maharaja of Mysore, The Palace, Mysore.

copy

Park House,

Mysore, 14th August 1948

Dear Major Buckley,

With reference to your letter No.37-48 dated the 5th August 1948, I am desired to say that His Highness will be very glad to place the Mysore State Dakota at the disposal of His Excellency Sir Archibald Nye for the the journey of Their Excellencies and party from Madras to Bombay at the end of this month or in the first week of September next. The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Bangalore, may kindly be informed regarding the date and time when the Dakota will be required and where the plane is to land in Madras.

Yours sincerely,

Sd. G.N.Nagaraja Rao.

Major W.K.Buckley,
Military Secretary to
H.E.the Governor of Madras,
Government House, Ootacamund.

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE
Guindy, 17th August 1948.

Dear Mr. Vedavyasacharya,

I have had a letter from the Private Secretary to His Highness to say that His Highness has very kindly agreed to lend the Mysore State Dakota for the journey of His Excellency and Lady Nye to Bombay at the beginning of next month. The Private Secretary has asked me to inform you of the detailed plans as we now know them.

Their Excellencies will fly from Madras - St. Thomas Mount Aerodrome - on 7th September I do not yet know of the time of day in which the flight will take place, but I imagine it will be in the morning. I will however confirm this later.

Yours Sincerely

Kenneth Buckley

(Major W.K. Buckley)

Sri V. Vedavyasacharya,
Chief Secretary
to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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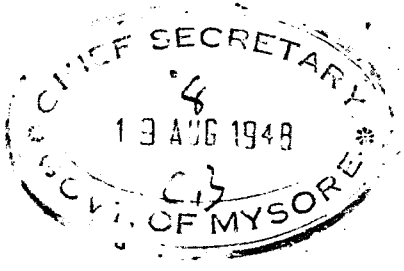

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Memo No. 1100/C.B. Dt. 23rd August

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20th Aug. C.

Chief Secretary to Government.

D.O. No. 1096/C.B D. 23rd August 1948

Dear Major Buckley,

With reference to your letter dated 17-8-1948, I am desired to state that necessary instructions have been issued to the Government Pilot to make the Mysore Government Dakota available for the journey of His Excellency the Governor of Madras and party from Madras to Bombay on the 7th September 1948 and to have it in readiness well in time at the St. Thomas Mount Aerodrome, Madras.

I note that you will confirm the time of day in which the flight will take place, which is expected to be in the morning.

Yours sincerely,

Sd. V. Vedavyasacharya.

Major [illegible] Buckley,
Military Secretary to His Excellency
the Governor of Madras,
Government House,
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Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, ~~Bangalore~~ Mysore.

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for Chief Secretary to Government.

D.O. No. 1098/E.B

20th Aug. 1948.
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(Dear Capt. Sundaram,)

I am desired to state that the Government Dakota is to be made available for the journey of His Excellency the Governor-of Madras, Lady Nye and party from Madras to Bombay on the 7th September, 1948, and to request you kindly to make necessary arrangements for the Dakota to be flown to Madras well in time.

His Excellency will fly from Madras St. Thomas Mount Aerodrome. The time of day in which the flight will take place is not yet known, but it is expected to be in the morning.

The receipt of this letter may be kindly acknowledged.

Captain V. Sundaram,
Govt. Pilot, Bangalore.

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Captain V. Sundaram
Government Pilot.

No.6, Bore Bank Road,
Bangalore, 25-8-1948.

Dear Mr. Vedavyasachaarya.

I acknowledge receipt of your letter No.1098/C.B. dated 20th August 1948. The State Dakota will be flown to Madras well in time for the flight of H.E. the Governor of Madras, to Bombay.

With regards, Yours sincerely,

Mr. V. Vedavyasacharya, B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Govt. of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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